

disposition and cleanup priorities at the Fernald site.

Tentative Agenda: Saturday, February 10, 1996

8:30 a.m. Call to Order; Chair's Remarks

8:45 a.m. Committee Chairs' Reports

9:00 a.m. Discussion of On-Site

Disposal Cell Issues

10:30 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m. Develop Recommendations

11:45 a.m. Opportunity for Public Input

12:00 a.m. Adjourn

A final agenda will be available at the meeting, Saturday, February 10, 1996.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Task Force chair either before or after the meeting.

Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact the Task Force chair at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Official, Gary Stegner, Public Affairs Officer, Ohio Field Office, U.S. Department of Energy, is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments. This notice is being published less than 15 days before the date of the meeting, due to programmatic issues that had to be resolved prior to publication.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to John S. Applegate, Chair, the Fernald Citizens Task Force, P.O. Box 544, Ross, Ohio 45061 or by calling the Task Force message line at (513) 648-6478.

Issued at Washington, DC on January 25, 1996.

Rachel Murphy Samuel,

Acting Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Hanford Site

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Committee meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board (EM SSAB), Hanford Site.

DATES: Thursday, February 1, 1996: 9 a.m.-5:15 p.m. Friday, February 2, 1996: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Ramada Inn, 435 Clover Island, Kennewick, Washington.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jon Yerxa, Public Participation Coordinator, Department of Energy Richland Operations Office, P.O. Box 550, Richland, WA, 99352.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to make recommendations to DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda

February Meeting Topics

The Hanford Advisory Board will receive information on and discuss issues related to: Strategic Planning Update and Proposal, Proposed Advice on 1995 Budget Reallocations, Risk Data Sheets, Recommendations on 300 Area Cleanup, Groundwater Strategy Document, and an Update on N Springs Wall. The Committee will also receive updates from various Subcommittees, including reports on: the Environmental Protection Agency's Budget and Reorganization, National Waste Management Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement, Tank Waste Remediation System Tri-Party Agreement Change Negotiations, M-33 Status of Negotiations, M&I Contract Status, and Workforce Restructuring.

Public Participation

The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Jon Yerxa's office at the address or telephone number listed above. The Designated Federal Official is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments. Due to programmatic issues that had to be resolved, the Federal Register notice is being published less than fifteen days before the date of the meeting.

Minutes

The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585 between 9:00 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to Jon Yerxa, Department of Energy Richland Operations Office, P.O. Box 550, Richland, WA 99352, or by calling him at (509) 376-9628.

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Rachel Murphy Samuel,

Acting Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Monticello Site

AGENCY: Department of Energy.

ACTION: Notice of open meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) notice is hereby given of the following Advisory Board Committee Meeting: Environmental Management Site-Specific Advisory Board, Monticello Site.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, April 16, 1996 6 p.m.-8 p.m.

ADDRESS: Monticello City Office, 17 North 1st East, Monticello, Utah 84535.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Audrey Berry, Public Affairs Specialist, Department of Energy Grand Junction Projects Office, P.O. Box 2567, Grand Junction, CO, 81502 (303) 248-7727.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of the Board is to advise DOE and its regulators in the areas of environmental restoration, waste management, and related activities.

Tentative Agenda: Reports from subcommittees on local training and hiring, health and safety, and future land use.

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. Written statements may be filed with the Committee either before or after the meeting. Individuals who wish to make oral statements pertaining to agenda items should contact Audrey Berry's office at the address or telephone number listed above. Requests must be received 5 days prior to the meeting and reasonable

provision will be made to include the presentation in the agenda. The Designated Federal Official is empowered to conduct the meeting in a fashion that will facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Each individual wishing to make public comment will be provided a maximum of 5 minutes to present their comments.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying at the Freedom of Information Public Reading Room, 1E-190, Forrestal Building, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20585 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, except Federal holidays. Minutes will also be available by writing to Audrey Berry, Department of Energy Grand Junction Projects Office, P.O. Box 2567, Grand Junction, CO 81502, or by calling her at (303) 248-7727.

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Rachel Murphy Samuel,

Acting Deputy Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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Privacy Act of 1974; Establishment of a New System of Records

AGENCY: Department of Energy (DOE).

ACTION: Proposed establishment of a new Privacy Act system of records.

SUMMARY: The Department of Energy (DOE) proposes to establish a new system of records entitled "DOE-88 Epidemiologic and Other Health Studies, Surveys and Surveillances." The Department has established an epidemiology and health surveillance program to determine the health effects of the Department's activities on workers and populations having access, or in proximity, to the Department's facilities. Federal Agencies are required by the Privacy Act of 1974 and Office of Management and Budget Circular A-130, Transmittal Memorandum No. 2, July 15, 1994, to publish notice in the Federal Register of proposed systems of records.

DATES: The proposed new system of records will become effective without further notice 40 days after publication in the Federal Register (March 11, 1996) unless comments are received on or before that date that would result in a contrary determination and a notice is published to that effect.

ADDRESSES: Written comments should be directed to the following address: Director, FOIA/Privacy Act Division, Office of Executive Secretariat, U.S.

Department of Energy, HR-78, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585. Any written comments received will be available for inspection at the above address between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: (1) Heather Stockwell, Acting Director, Office of Epidemiologic Studies, EH-62, U.S. Department of Energy, 19901 Germantown Road, Germantown, MD 20874-1290, (301) 903-3721; or (2) GayLa D. Sessoms, Director, FOIA/Privacy Act Division, HR-78, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-5955; or (3) Harold Halpern, Office of General Counsel, GC-80, U.S. Department of Energy, 1000 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, DC 20585, (202) 586-7406.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The DOE proposes to establish a new system of records entitled "DOE-88 Epidemiological and Other Health Studies, Surveys and Surveillances". The Department has established an epidemiology and health surveillance program to determine the health effects of the Department's activities on workers and populations having access, or in proximity, to the Department's facilities. Epidemiological studies are an important means of determining the status of, and improving, public health. Epidemiological studies permit the scientific evaluation of the effects of exposure to potentially harmful materials by determining and quantifying health effects associated with such exposures. Health surveys, which are used to assess immediate health issues, are designed to discover the occupational source of outbreaks of illness, injury, or death, and to describe the extent of exposure to specific substances at a single point in time. Surveillance is used to identify new and emerging health problems by monitoring groups of workers, who have the same job or exposures, for changes in their illness and injury patterns over time.

Information in the proposed new system will assist the Department in studying and monitoring individual employee and aggregate population health risks from exposures to radiation, chemicals, or other hazards that may have occurred as a result of the Department's operations and other energy-related activities. The studies should provide information that is necessary for long-range energy planning pursuant to continued development of the national energy strategy. The health studies include all

Department facilities and workers and other special populations that have relevance to the Department's mission.

Pursuant to the Memoranda of Understanding with the Department of Health and Human Services ("HHS"), 56 FR 9701, March 7, 1991, and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry ("ATSDR"), October 10, 1990, studies, surveys and surveillances will be conducted for DOE by units of the Public Health Service, the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, the National Center for Environmental Health, and ATSDR, and their contractors, grantees, and cooperative agreement holders. States also may perform studies as the Department's or the Department of Health and Human Services' contractors, grantees, or cooperative agreement holders.

Records in the new system will have the following routine uses, among others:

(1) A record from this system of records may be disclosed to facilitate health hazard evaluations, epidemiological studies, or public health activities required by law performed by personnel, contractor personnel, grantees, and cooperative agreement holders of components of the Department of Health and Human Services, including the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, the National Center for Environmental Health of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry pursuant to Memoranda of Understanding between the Department and the Department of Health and Human Services or its components.

(2) Subject to the same Privacy Act limitations applicable to employees of the Department, a record from this system of records may be disclosed as a routine use to contractors, grantees, participants in cooperative agreements, collaborating researchers, or their employees, in performance of health studies or related health or environmental duties pursuant to their contracts, grants, and cooperating or collaborating research agreements. In order to perform such studies, the Department, its contractors, grantees, participants in cooperative agreements, and collaborating researchers may disclose a record: to Federal, State, and local health and medical agencies or authorities; to subcontractors in order to determine a subject's vital status or cause of death; to health care providers to verify a diagnosis or cause of death; or to third parties to obtain current addresses for participants in health-